



THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICANT : Jackowski et al.

INVENTION : Plasma Protease C1 Inhibitor
Biopolymer Markers Indicative Of
Alzheimer's Disease

SERIAL NUMBER : 09/991,799

FILING DATE : November 23, 2001

EXAMINER : Chernyshev, Olga N.

GROUP ART UNIT : 1646

OUR FILE NO. : 2132.086

CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 CFR 1.8(a)

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being
deposited with the U.S. Postal Service as First Class mail
in an envelope addressed to Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on 8-19-2003

To:
Mail Stop: Non-Fee Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

RECEIVED

AUG 25 2003

TECH CENTER 1600/2900

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION OF MAY 19, 2003

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 19, 2003 having a
shortened statutory period for response set to expire August 19,
2003, kindly enter the following response:

It is noted that claims which are not drawn to the elected
invention are added herein, as the instant response also contains
a request for rejoining under Ochai.